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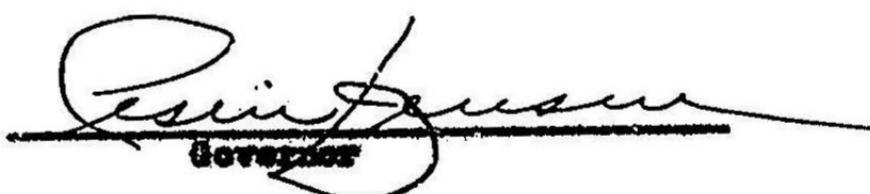
PROCLAMATION

MOTHER'S DAY was founded and established by Anna Jarvis, of Philadelphia, to extend and perpetuate her mother's life work in the home, church and community. It has become a day on which we emphasize the home as the highest inspiration of our individual and national life; it has a vital meaning for people of every land, class and creed, for the bonds of motherhood are strong in all human experience. Because we recognize these truths we pause each year on the second Sunday in May, to pay our tribute.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Leslie Jenson, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim Sunday, May 9, 1937, as MOTHER'S DAY.

The struggle of life is constantly upon us and during the past few years has severely tried the courage of men in all parts of the world. In facing our tasks here in South Dakota, let us look for inspiration and guidance to that greatest of all institutions, the Home, and the beloved leader and guardian of its destiny, Mother.

SOME AT THE CAPITOL, in the City of Pierre, this 22d day of April, 1937.


Leslie Jenson
Governor

ATTEST:

Irene Miles
Secretary of State

(GREAT SEAL)

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